UPCOMING EVENTS AT THE USAF MUSEUM

All events are sponsored by the U.S. Air Force Museum, 1100 Spaatz St., Wright-Patterson AFB, OH 45433-7102. Events are FREE unless otherwise specified. The Air Force Museum is handicapped accessible. For further information on listed events, please contact the USAF Museum Public Affairs office at (937) 255-4704 or 255-8046.

May

30 Mar - - ANNUAL STUDENT AVIATION ART EXHIBITION

2 May Young artists from schools throughout Montgomery and Greene

Counties display their art

9 am - 5 pm

Every Mon - USAF HERITAGE TOUR

thru Fri An overview of Air Force history from 1907 to the present

1:30 pm

(Saturdays 10:30 am & 1:30 pm)

15 May - FAMILY DAY

Programs directed to families with elementary age school

children

"The Four Forces of Flight"

How airplanes fly

10 am

Learning Center

"Uncle Wiggley Wings and the Berlin Airlift"

2 pm

Learning Center

JUNE

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1:30 pm

(Saturdays 10:30 am & 1:30 pm)

4 Jun - BEHIND THE SCENES TOUR

Free tour of Museum restoration and exhibit areas

Limited to 12 yrs and older

For reservations call (937) 255-3286

12:15 pm - 3:00 pm

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18 Jun - BEHIND) THE SCENES TOUR

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19 Jun - FAMILY DAY

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children

"Helicopters"

Explores the beginnings of vertical flight

10 am

Learning Center

"Uncle Wiggley Wings and the Berlin Airlift"

2 pm

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17 Jul - FAMILY DAY

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"Rocketry & Space Flight"

Overview of the history of rocketry. 10 am

Learning Center

Additional programs to be announced

23 Jul - BEHIND THE SCENES TOUR

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24 & 25 Jul - RTA BUS SERVICE TO & FROM U.S. AIR & TRADE SHOW

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AUGUST

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1:30 pm

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1 Aug- - COLORFUL KITE TALES EXHIBIT

5 Sep A special exhibit on the history of kites along with kites provided by kite collectors throughout the United States.

9 am - 5 pm Kettering Hall

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20 Aug - BEHIND THE SCENES TOUR

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21 Aug - FAMILY DAY

Programs directed to families with elementary age school children

"Kite Tales"

Story of kites, types of kites & how they fly.

10 am

Learning Center

Additional programs to be announced

27 Aug - BEHIND THE SCENES TOUR

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SEPTEMBER

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thru Fri An overview of Air Force Story from 1907 to the present

1:30 pm

(Saturdays 10:30 am to 1:30 pm)

3-5 Sep - 17TH ANNUAL KITE FESTIVAL

Kite enthusiasts from throughout the United States share their knowledge of kite making, kite flying, and kite safety. Open kite flying on Friday.

Workshops available Saturday and Sunday. Weekend kite activities include open kite flying, kite flying demonstrations, kite flying lessons, and competitions.

9 am - 5 pm

Outside on Museum grounds

Small charge for workshops

3-5 Sep - GIANT SCALE MODEL RC FLY-IN

Ohio Giant Scalers Branch of the International Miniature Airplane Association sponsor a fly-in of 1/4 scale radio-controlled aircraft of World

War I and World War II vintage

8 am - 5 pm

Runway behind the Museum

18 Sep - FAMILY DAY

Programs directed to families with elementary age school children

Milestones of Flight

Presents the many famous "firsts" in aviation history

10 am

Learning Center

Additional programs to be announced

18 Sep- U.S. AIR FORCE MARATHON

The third Air Force Marathon (26.2 miles) will start and end at

the Museum

8 am start time

OCTOBER

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thru Fri An overview of Air Force history from 1907 to the present

1:30 pm

(Saturdays 10:30 am & 1:30 pm)

16 Oct - FAMILY DAY

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"Things That Fly"

Focuses on the 'how and whys' of things that fly.

10 am

Learning Center

Additional programs to be announced

NOVEMBER

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1:30 pm

(Saturdays 10:30 am & 1:30 pm)

20 Nov - FAMILY DAY

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"Balloons & Airships"

Presentation on hot air balloons.

10 am Learning Center

Additional programs to be announced

DECEMBER

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thru Fri An overview of Air Force history from 1907 to the present

1:30 pm

(Saturdays 10:30 am & 1:30 pm)

19 Dec - FAMILY DAY

Programs directed to families with elementary age school children

"The Wright Brothers"

10 am

Learning Center